

SOCIETY

AN ENGAGEMENT OF INTEREST.
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse M. McChesney announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Louise, to Lieut. Owen George Fowler, U. S. A., of Schofield Barracks.

A MUSICAL TREAT IN STORE.
The music-loving set of Honolulu have a rare treat in store for them in the performances of Max Selinsky, the noted violinist. Three charmingly selected musical programs are arranged and evenings of real pleasure are in view.

The list of society women who are patronesses for these concerts includes Mrs. L. Tenney Peck, Mrs. Rudolf Buchly, Mrs. Alexander Hawes, Mrs. Montague Cooke, Jr., Mrs. Robbins A. Anderson, Mrs. William D. Westervelt, Mrs. William A. Love, Mrs. Albert Judd, Mrs. Elizabeth Mackall and Mrs. Royal D. Mead.

The ticket arrangement is in the hands of the Bergstrom music store. Mr. Frank Moss and Mr. Edwin Ideier will be his accompanists. Selinsky has been loudly praised by Mr. Buchly, Mr. Ideier, Mr. Love, B. L. Marx, Dr. Wall and other local violinists as among the finest who ever visited Hawaii. The most enthusiastic press notices have been given him from one end of the globe to the other, and large houses will greet each performance here.

THE RUSSIAN BALLETS A COMING PLEASURE.

Society girls are to form the background for the Russian Ballet that is to be given by Ivan Bankoff, who is an acknowledged premier in Russian dancing. He is assisted by Aimee Maynard, an English girl who is tremendously clever. Part of the proceeds are to go to the Red Cross, which accounts for the social side. Miss Florence Butler will be the queen in Scheherazade, Donald Blanding is in the cast and has also designed all costumes and they are being built at Lanikae. Mr. Arthur Wyman and the following are some among the dancers: Miss Ruth McChesney, Miss Isabel Baker, Miss Sack, Miss Dorothy Sack, Miss Brown, Miss Katie Singlehurst, Miss Dorothy Winter, Mrs. Raymond B. McGrew and others.

ENGLAND WEDDING OF INTEREST.
News has reached friends here of a wedding interesting to old-timers. It was the marriage a few weeks ago at Boxhill-on-the-Sea, England, of Miss Kathleen Sproull, of Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, and of Mrs. Sproull of Boxhill.

The Sproulls lived here for many years, their residence being on Beretania street. Miss Kathleen was born in Honolulu, as was a brother. An uncle, Robert Wallace, lives at Kealahou, Hawaii.

The account of the wedding says: "A military wedding of considerable local interest took place on Tuesday afternoon at St. Peter's church."

"The bridegroom was Lieut. Harry Gordon Milson of the Canadians, second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Milson of Saskatoon, Canada, formerly of Galway, Ireland. The bride was Miss Kathleen Sproull, only daughter of the late A. M. Sproull, of Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, and of Mrs. Sproull of Boxhill."

"The Venerable Archdeacon Gilmore and the Rector of St. Peter's of

(the Rev. H. W. Maycock) officiated. The band of the Canadian Training school was present in the church and played, 'O Canada' on the entrance of the wedding party. The band also accompanied the hymns, which were 'O Perfect Love', 'Love Divine', and 'All People That on Earth Do Dwell.' The church was crowded, and among those present were two officers with the military cross.

"The bride, who was given away by her brother, A. W. Sproull, R.E., was attired in a dress of white crepe de chine and georgette, beautifully embroidered with beads, with soft draperies and old Brussels lace. She wore a picture hat of white crepe de chine with ostrich.

"The band played the 'Wedding March' at the conclusion of the service. A guard of honor, with fixed bayonets, from the Canadian Training school, lined the pathway at the western end of the church as the bride and bridegroom left.

"A reception was held at Mrs. Sproull's residence, 'Aloha Nui', 10 Dorset road.

"Many telegrams of congratulation were received from officers in England, at the front, and in Canada. 'The presents were numerous and handsome.'"

NEW YORK STATE ENLISTED MEN'S SWIM AND PARTY.

This coming Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Tenney Peck at Kaalawai there is to be a swim and garden party for the New York State enlisted men on Oahu. They are invited from 2 to 3. Autos will meet the cars at the Waikiki terminus. The men are asked to bring their bathing suits and a towel so that they may enjoy the pleasure of a swim. Music will form a feature of the afternoon. From present indications there will be a large turnout of men and a happy afternoon is wished for by the New York State club.

AN ENTERTAINMENT AT SCHO-FIELD.

Some of the men of Schofield who have been entertained by the women of Honolulu, and realizing the impossibility of individually returning the compliment, are having a drill and concert on Thursday afternoon. It is to be very informal and as one of the officers expressed it, done in soldier fashion, as they themselves are attending to all of the details. The drill will be at 4 o'clock, the concert to be before that hour. A large number are expected.

THE LANAI PLAY.

Saturday evening the Lanai players are staging their clever trio of playlets, recently given, for the pleasure of the enlisted men from New York state. Mrs. Roger Burnham, who is directing and coaching the players, is enthusiastic to help entertain the enlisted men and, with the players so willing the men have indeed much to be grateful for. One of the men was asked if the affairs that Honolulu women were giving for the men are what they care for. He said there was only one answer to the question and that was "Do we see any more disgruntled or dissatisfied letters in the papers since the Woman's War Work Council has taken hold of affairs?"

It is all very satisfying, this thought of being helpful. Very shortly a

Southern club is to be formed and from all accounts there are a goodly number of Southern lads who will hail with joy this Dixie organization. Many of the boys who have said they were going to the L. Tenney Peck party have tickets for the Lanai play, so a full house is expected.

CONGRESSMEN ENTERTAINED BY HONOLULU RESIDENTS.

After the return from Makapuu lighthouse Friday afternoon a number of the members of the congressional party visited Gerrit Wilder's beautiful home in the Punahou district. All were impressed with the beauty of the surroundings, and when shown the beautiful swimming pool, some members of the party wanted to remain. After a short visit the members of the party, continued to the College of Hawaii, where lunch was served.

Francis Gay has been an ideal host to the members of the congressional party. A number of the delegation have visited his beautiful home and upon their return have had nothing but the most pleasant things to say of the hospitality of Mr. Gay, and also remarked that a visit in such a home. It would not take much persuasion to have a number of the party permanently established at the Gay place at the beach.

One thing which has impressed me very much since my arrival in the city has been the hospitality of the men of wealth," said one of the members of the congressional party here. "We have been royally entertained here at the various homes we have visited, and there is not that jarring note of outward display of wealth which is noticeable often on the mainland. Hawaiian hospitality must be one of the big features to be written in the history of our trip."

NEWS OF MARRIAGE.

News has just been received here of the marriage of Miss Mary Hartwell Bonesteel to George Widmayer Heath in Tientsin, China, Thursday, September 20.

The bride is the daughter of the late Major and Mrs. Charles Bonesteel and a sister of Capt. G. H. Bonesteel, U. S. A. She has made several visits to San Francisco and was a guest at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Col. and Mrs. Charles B. Stone, when they were stationed at Angel Island.

The bridegroom, a New Yorker, is in business in Tientsin, where he has lived for several years and where he met the former Miss Bonesteel during a visit with Colonel and Mrs. Stone.

She sailed for San Francisco, but when the steamer reached Nagasaki she received a cable from Heath, in which he urged her to return to China to be married immediately. Instead of waiting until he could come to the United States. She returned to Tientsin, the marriage taking place immediately after her arrival.

AN ENGAGEMENT TOLD.

Dr. and Mrs. James Harvey Raymond of Ulupalakua, Maui, announce the engagement of their niece, Mary Sophia Schrader, to Mr. Robert Gordon von Tempky of Maui. Miss Schrader has made her home with Dr. and Mrs. Raymond and is one of the most popular belles of Maui, having a charming manner and personality that have endeared her to all. Mr. von Tempky is one of the old family of McKibbin Downett, who have been for several generations among the up-builders of Hawaii.

FOR THE SAMMIES.

The second social for enlisted men to be given by the Women's Society of Central Union church will be held Thursday evening, Nov. 15, at 7:45, in the church parlors at the rear of the main auditorium, and it is hoped that the full quota of 250 men will be present to enjoy the evening. It is also hoped that as many members of the church and congregation as can do so will be present, as they were last time, to assist in entertaining the guests in khaki.

MAUI HALLOWEEN PARTY.

(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence.)
WAILUKU, Nov. 3.—On Halloween one of the jolliest parties ever given in Wailuku took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Palmatier on Vineyard street extension. A few of the older people invited dressed up as ghosts and on their way to the place of meeting called at several houses. Their visits scared a few of the younger people of the community and amused the older members. The arrival at the party created an opportunity for a general demonstration on the part of all present, and lots of fun followed. Games were indulged in, and before the delightful affair broke up refreshments were served. Some thirty people in all the Camp Fire Girls, who are organized under the direct supervision of Mrs. O. J. Whitehead, head of the girls' department of the Alexander House Settlement.

Quiet has settled over all things social this week out of respect to Her Majesty, the late Liliuokalani. Every one who had anything social planned for this week has postponed it out of respect to her memory.

OUTDOOR CIRCLE ACTIVITY.
Fifty dollars was voted by the directors of the Outdoor Circle yesterday for the use of the child welfare committee in its work of providing suitable luncheons for school children unable to provide their own. The club gave this amount last year and the directors were unanimous in wishing to repeat the gift this year.

The regular monthly meeting of the circle was held yesterday at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Frederick J. Lowrey, corner of Victoria and Lunalilo streets, and there was a fair attendance of members. In the absence of both the president, Mrs. Thurston, and the vice-president, Mrs. Alexander Campbell, Mrs. Isaac Cox presided. Among the important items of the meeting was the appointment by the chair of a nominating committee composed of Mrs. A. F. Griffiths, Mrs. W. C. Hobdy and Mrs. A. N. Campbell, which will submit suggestions for the new officers at the December meeting. The election takes place the second Tuesday in January. The next large affair in which the club is interested is the annual luncheon, which will be held some time in January, probably at the Country club. Mrs. A. E. Murphy was appointed a committee to choose the place, while Mrs. John Trenholm Warren will have the program in charge.

Mrs. Ward reported for the vacant lot committee and spoke of the difficulties her committee finds in its work. Mrs. Jack Milton, who gave the report of the work of an independent club composed of Beachwalk residents, said that each member pays monthly dues, and from these dues is created a fund which is used to keep the vacant lots of their district in order.

Mrs. Guy Tuttle reported six new members for the Kaimuki section circle and asked for a committee from the main circle to cooperate with her section in choosing the kind of trees to be planted on Waiialae road, as she said it was the desire of the Kaimuki residents to make this the most beautiful drive in Honolulu. The club voted that the chair appoint such a committee, which will also cooperate with the billboard committee.

Mrs. A. N. Campbell reported for the billboard committee that two new billboard signs have appeared recently, one of which will be obliterated Dec. 10.

A letter of thanks will be sent by the secretary to Mrs. J. O. Smith for the fine work she has done in taking care of the small park near her home.

Mrs. Murphy, the club's executive officer, reported much pruning of old trees, planting of new ones and the prospective spraying of several. One hundred jackarandas, the trees with the beautiful purplish-blue blossoms, will be set out on Young street and 500 pale pink oleander cuttings from the shrubs on Kalakaua avenue have been set out ready for use as needed.

Mrs. Lowrey reported for the civic center that the rare sealing wax palm, the sole survivor of a lot of importations, will soon be ready to set out when the winter rains commence.

Mrs. V. L. Emory gave the report of the soldiers' garden party given last month by the circle and several minor matters of business were attended to.

Miss Winne gave an interesting report concerning the Community Christmas tree which the club is planning for on Christmas Eve in the capitol grounds, and announced that already a chorus of 1100 voices is assured, while there may be many more. Tableaux are also to accompany the singing of the carols.

The national guard encampment at Liliuokalani Camp was to be the scene of many luncheons on Sunday at which the social elect would figure. The funeral of our late lamented Queen Liliuokalani has canceled all social engagements. The heartache of every "kamaaina" over the loss of the queen is keen indeed, and to those of us who have lived here always and known the royal family intimately this ending of royalty is sad indeed. In one's mind pass the funeral processions of the royal family for the past thirty-five years with their pomp and dignity. It is hoped that every store and home in the city will some time during this week show some badge of mourning for Hawaii's loss. But one store in town yesterday was seen to display her picture. On the streets one notes many black hokuloke women. In former years every man and woman of Hawaiian blood wore mourning during the week of lying-in-state.

Messages of congratulation are finding their way to Mr. and Mrs. George P. Cooke of Molokai. A baby daughter, who has been named Phoebe, has come to bless their household.

Mrs. Herman Focke is being warmly welcomed by her large circle of friends. She has been on the mainland for the past four months.

Mrs. Henry H. Williams and her niece Mrs. George Renton, Jr., have returned after a delightful month at the Volcano house.

MAUI SOCIETY NOTES.

(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence.)
WAILUKU, Nov. 12.—The Ladies Aid society of Kahului held a most successful rummage sale Saturday morning at the Kahului Community House. About \$85 was cleared and everything was disposed of by 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Helen Mar Linton has been drilling a cast for some few weeks for "The Ruggles' Christmas Tree." The performance will be given a short time before Christmas. The cast is very well chosen and the entertainment promises to be a good one. It is understood that the proceeds will be devoted to some relief fund.

On Saturday, Nov. 3, the pretty home of Mrs. W. H. Engle of Wailuku was a tower of pretty yellow and green decorations, which color scheme was carried out to the refreshments and candy, when the hostess entertained at a miscellaneous shower for



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